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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: John WARMINGTON et al.
Title: DETECTION OF CANDIDA
Appl. No.: 09/841,188
Filing Date: 04/25/2001
Examiner: K. Shahnan Shah
Art Unit: 1645

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD
OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals from the decision of the Examiner finally rejecting Claims 18-37 in the Final Office Action dated July 10, 2003, and the Advisory Action mailed December 19, 2003 and faxed January 6, 2004.

- ☒ [X] Applicants claim small entity status.
- ☒ [X] Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:
- ☒ [X] Notice of Appeal Fee
- ☒ [X] To be paid as detailed below
- ☐ [] Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal)

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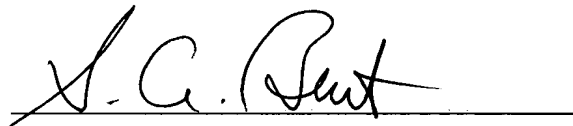
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):	\$585.00
	TOTAL FEE:	\$585.00

- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741 in the amount of \$585.00 . A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$585.00 is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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Respectfully submitted,



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